#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of SierraPine Limited for Waiver of Collection of Direct Access Cost Responsibility Surcharge for Its Rocklin Facility.

Application 03-08-008 (Filed August 13, 2003)

# CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING ASSIGNING PROCEEDING AND SHORTENING TIME FOR PROTESTS

SierraPine Limited (SierraPine) filed this application on August 13, 2003, asking that the Commission waive collection of the direct access cost responsibility surcharge for its facility in Rocklin, California. The application is filed under Pub. Util. Code § 367.3, which was enacted on August 11, 2003. Section 367.3 requires the Commission to act upon SierraPine's application on or before September 4, 2003. Because of the legislative mandate, this ruling shortens the time for filing protests in this matter to five days from the date of this ruling.

In addition, this ruling notifies the parties that this proceeding is assigned to Commissioner Susan P. Kennedy and Administrative Law Judge Glen Walker.

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**IT IS RULED** that the time for filing protests in this matter is shortened to five days from the date of this ruling.

Dated August 14, 2003, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ ANGELA K. MINKIN (by Lynn Carew)

Angela K. Minkin, Chief Administrative Law Judge

#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Shortening Time for Protests on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated August 14, 2003, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ ELIZABETH LEWIS
Elizabeth Lewis

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